#### NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

# BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE STATE OF NEBRASKA

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STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE,	) ) )
PETITIONER,	) CONSENT ORDER
VS.	)
PAUL FLAUGHER,	) CAUSE NO. A-1472
RESPONDENT.	) ) )

In order to resolve this matter, the Nebraska Department of Insurance ("Department"), by and through its attorney, Eric Dunning and Paul Flaugher, ("Respondent"), mutually stipulate and agree as follows:

## **JURISDICTION**

- 1. The Department has jurisdiction over the subject matter and Respondent pursuant to Neb.Rev.Stat. §44-101.01 and §44-4001, et seq.
- 2. Respondent was licensed as an insurance agent under the laws of Nebraska at all times material hereto.

### STIPULATIONS OF FACT

- 1. The Department initiated this administrative proceeding by filing a petition styled State of Nebraska Department of Insurance vs. Paul Flaugher, Cause Number A-1472 on May 28, 2002. A copy of the amended petition was served upon the Respondent at the Respondent's address registered with the Department by certified mail, return receipt requested.
- 2. Respondent violated *Neb.Rev.Stat.* §44-4059(1)(h) provides as a result of the following conduct.

- a. On or about September 16, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$1,100.17. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$214.12, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$886.05 indicated in the report.
- b. On or about September 20, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$2,387.84. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$397.01, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$1,990.83 indicated in the report.
- c. On or about September 20, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$802.49. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$166.25, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$636.24 indicated in the report.
- d. On or about September 28, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$634.64. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$100.00, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$535.64 indicated in the report.
- e. On or about September 28, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$1,811.26. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$933.03, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$878.23 indicated in the report.
- f. On or about September 30, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$453.75. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$453.75 indicated in the report.
- g. On or about October 7, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$702.51. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$68.00, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$634.51 indicated in the report.
- h. On or about October 13, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$195.14. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$195.14 indicated in the report.

- i. On or about October 18, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$1604.22. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$1604.22 indicated in the report.
- j. On or about October 24, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$588.68. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$336.56, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$252.12 indicated in the report.
- k. On or about October 28, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$120.24. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$95.00, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$25.24 indicated in the report.
- 1. On or about November 2, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$1,001.77. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$346.44, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$655.33 indicated in the report.
- m. On or about November 16, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$942.76. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$942.76 indicated in the report.
- n. On or about November 18, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$772.10. Respondent made a partial deposit of \$67.26, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$704.84 indicated in the report.
- o. On or about December 1, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$785.55. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$785.55 indicated in the report.
- p. On or about December 19, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$61.55. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$61.55 indicated in the report.
- q. On or about December 20, 2000, the Respondent reported deposits to Monumental Life Insurance Company in the amount of \$1,032.63.

Respondent made a partial deposit of \$258.56, equal to the check amount reported, to Security National Bank of Omaha. The Respondent failed to collect and deposit the cash amount of \$774.07 indicated in the report.

- 3. Respondent was informed of his right to a public hearing. Respondent waives that right, and enters into this Consent Order freely and voluntarily. Respondent understands and acknowledges that by waiving his right to a public hearing, Respondent also waives his right to confrontation of witnesses, production of evidence, and judicial review.
- 4. Respondent admits the allegations contained in the Petition and restated in Paragraph #2 above.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Respondent's conduct as alleged above constitutes a violation of <u>Neb.Rev.Stat.</u> §44-4059(1)(h).

#### **CONSENT ORDER**

It is therefore ordered by the Director of Insurance and agreed to by Respondent, Paul Flaugher, that Respondent shall have his license suspended for a period of six months. The Nebraska Department of Insurance shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for the purpose of enabling the Respondent or the Department to make application for such further orders as may be necessary.

In witness of their intention to be bound by this Consent Order, each party has executed this

document by subscribing his or her signature below.

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Respondent

Date

4/25/02	
Date	Attorney for Respondent
	Date
State of NEBRASICA ) County of Doug LAS ) ss.	
On this 21 st day of June	,, Paul Flaugher personally appeared
before me and read this Consent Order, executed	d the same and acknowledged the same to be his
voluntary act and deed.  A GENERAL NOTARY - State of Nebraska	Noveme G. Eets
TERRENCE L EASTER	Notary Public

I hereby certify that the foregoing Consent Order is adopted as the Final Order of the Nebraska Department of Insurance in the matter of State of Nebraska Department of Insurance vs. Paul Flaugher, Cause No. A-1472.

STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

L. TIM WAGNER
Director of Insurance

Date

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the executed Consent Order was sent to the Respondent, at 11635 Davenport Plaza, Omaha, Nebraska 68154, and at Producers America Inc., 2424 South 130 Circle, Omaha, Nebraska 68144-2529, by certified mail, return receipt requested on this day of May, 2002.

Stacy M. Bulywull